

## Soda Springs District #150

Caribou County

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Lawrence K. Rigby, Superintendent

### District Characteristics 1996-97

Fall Enrollment 1996-97	1,269	Special Education:	
Average Daily Attendance	1,207	Special Education Students	130
State Ranking per ADA	47	Gifted and Talented Students	52
Number of Schools (sites):		Number of LEP Students	0
Elementary	3	National School Lunch Program:	
Secondary	2	% Average Daily Participation	53%
Number of Schools:		% Free and Reduced Meals	14%
Accredited	3	Average Lunch Price - Elementary	\$1.25
Accredited with Comment	1	Average Lunch Price - Secondary	\$1.25
Advised & Advised with Comment	1	Pupil Transportation Program:	
Warned	0	Average Daily Ridership 1995-96	452
High School Graduates:		District Owned Operation	
High School Diplomas-Regular	106		
Other Completions*	2		

\* Includes Certificates of Completion, State Diplomas and High School Equivalencies (age 19 & under)

### Superintendent's Highlights

The Soda Springs School District was able to complete wiring throughout the District to provide LAN systems at the building level and WAN systems throughout the District. We have a complete wireless system that ties into the High School system to give cost effective (fast) E Mail capabilities. Every teacher has a personal computer that is hooked to the network and to the Internet.

The district worked effectively with the resultant data acquired from the District wide Curriculum Audit performed by ISU Office of Professional Development. The teachers used this information to modify the curriculum. The results were significantly improved Standardized Achievement test scores by most grade level testing.

We have started a major Outdoor classroom project. This is being funded by grants and donated labor from business and industry. When this project is complete, we will have one of the finest places to experience hands on biological study for elementary and secondary students in this area.

### Progress Towards Meeting District Goals

#### 1996-97 Goals

#### Progress

Increase the use of technology for education and skill development by 10%

It is the opinion of the administration that this goal has been stressful to the staff but that the goal was reached at each school in the District.

Increase the number of students who complete courses designed for dual enrollment by five (5) students

Last year we had three students obtain dual enrollment credit at the Soda Springs High School. This year we had 11. Next year we hope for 25 students.

Establish Exit Standards and measurements across the grade spectrum for mathematics

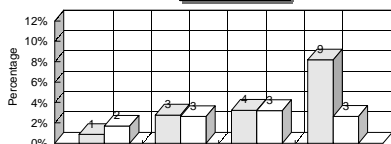
The exit standards have been set for K-12 grades. The teachers and administration are presently in the act of field testing the questions on this exam.

### Student Profiles

#### Ethnicity

Race	Male	Female	Total
White	49.39%	48.04%	97.43%
Black	0.00%	0.09%	0.09%
Hispanic	0.60%	1.11%	1.71%
Nat. Amer.	0.17%	0.09%	0.26%
Asian	0.34%	0.17%	0.51%
Total	50.50%	49.50%	100.00%

#### Dropouts



Year	Grd. 9	Grd. 10	Grd. 11	Grd. 12
95-96	0.85%	2.75%	3.23%	8.18%
96-97	1.67%	2.61%	3.19%	2.63%

Numbers in graph represent actual dropout counts per grade

## Financial Information 1996-97

	M & O Fund	%	All Funds	%
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Local Taxes	\$1,621,567	29.11%	\$2,442,226	35.44%
Other Sources	124,625	2.24%	280,163	4.07%
State	3,824,202	68.65%	3,947,620	57.29%
Federal	0	0.00%	220,268	3.20%
Total	\$5,570,394	100.00%	\$6,890,277	100.00%

### Supplemental Information:

Property Tax Replacement	\$360,627
Lottery Revenues	\$54,889
Technology Grant	\$64,356

	Total	%	ADA	Rank
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
M & O Instruction	\$3,734,921	67.99%		
M & O Support Programs	1,717,181	31.25%		
M & O Other	41,999	0.76%		
Total M & O	\$5,494,101	100.00%	\$4,553	61
Total ALL Funds	\$6,829,702	100.00%	\$5,660	73

### Tax Levies at 9-1-96

	Total	Per ADA	Rank
Property Market Values	\$366,412,190	\$303,656	28
Total M & O Levy	0.004329378		26
Total School Levy	0.006542961		38

## Staff Data 1996-97

### District Personnel:

	FTE	ADA to FTE
Elementary Teachers	34.25	17
Secondary Teachers	31.45	20
Administrators	5.00	241
Other Certified Staff	5.80	208
Total Certified Staff	76.50	16
Total Non-Certified Staff	36.58	33

### Teachers Salaries:

		Rank
Beginning Salary on Schedule	\$21,884	
Highest Salary on Schedule	\$44,043	
Average Elementary Teacher's Salary	\$33,310	11
Average Secondary Teacher's Salary	\$31,209	30
Superintendent's Salary	\$63,000	55

Note: Rank represents how this district compares to the other 111 public school districts in the State of Idaho; high to low (1 being the highest).  
 "Totals" may not sum due to rounding.

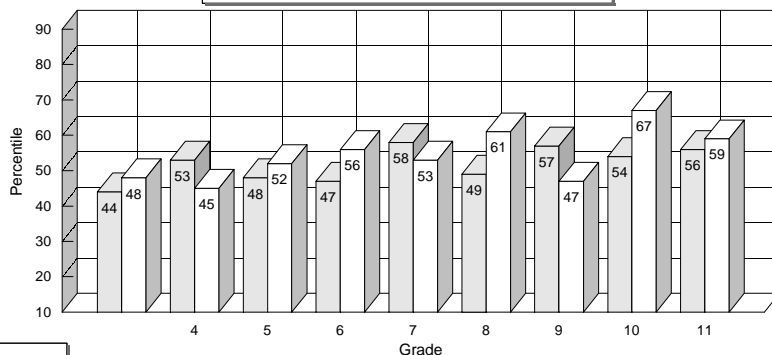


## Testing Information 1996-97

Grades 3 through 8 participate in ITBS and grades 9 through 11 participate in TAP standardized testing of basic skills. This graph indicates where students in each Idaho district place in relation to students nationally (the national average percentile is 50).

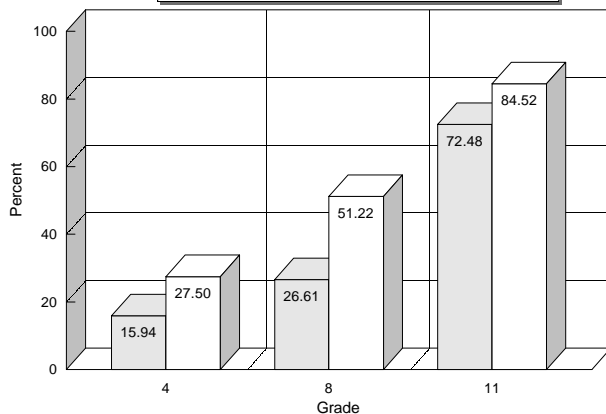
### Standard Testing Results

ITBS and TAP



### Direct Writing Assessment

percent proficient at grade level



The direct writing assessment provides another indication of what our students know and are able to do in this basic skill area.